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CAMPOS LEAVES HAVANA

The Unsuccessful Spanish General Going Back to Spain.

IMPORTANT BATTLE REPORTED.

How Two Thousand Insurgents Were Defeated by Less Than Half Their Number, According to Spanish Reports-President Cleveland Ready to Recognize Cubs.

HAVANA, Jan. 21.-According to the advices from the front Antonio Macco has passed custward south of Algulzar, in the province of Havana, pushing on for Guira Melena and Quivican, while Maximo Gomez is said to have pushed on eastward to the borders of the provinces of Havana and Matanzas, apparently going in the direction of the swamp land of the Gran

Clenaga, Occidental de Zapara. Colonel Molenia has notified the authorfties here that the insurgent bands commanded by Nunez, Campote. Alvarez and Gollazo, numbering about 1,393 men, are marching in the direction of Guines. The colonel left Bolondron in the direction of Alfonso XII and had a skirmish with the insurgents, who left ten killed on the field and retired with their wounded. The troops captured three prisoners and six Remington rifles, and the enemy retreated into the swamp land south of Alfonso XII. where it is believed, from the present ontlook and movements eastward of the insurgents, the enemy intends to await the arrival of the reinforcements coming west under Jose Maceo and Rubi. If all these reports are correct the vicinity of Havana should how be pretty well clear of any large force of insurgents, and the latter must be mustering in force south of

A dispatch from Manzanillo, in the province of Santiago de Cuba, says that Colonel Sandoval, operating along the coast with a Spanish column, has destroyed the salt mines in that vicinity, which served as a depot for the insurgents.

General Martinez Campos was accorded a splendid and effective farewell demonstration upon the occasion of his departure from Havana for Spain yesterday afternoon. His palace was filled with a throng of dignitaries, including members of the civil corporation, officers of the army and of the volunteers and the political friends

of the retiring general. At 3 o'clock he proceeded to the wharf, surrounded by a vast crowd. The troops formed an escort, and the Spanish national hymn was taken up by the multitude, who varied it with acclamations for Campos. The general went on board a vacht, which took him to the Spanish war-

ship Alfonso Doce, lying in the harbor. The harbor presented a scene of great animation, being crowded with all manner of craft with gay colors flying, the yellow flag of Spain giving the predominant tinge to the effect. General Marin and the five members of his family were on one of the yachts which escorted the Alfonso Doce down the harbor.

Sylvester Scovel, the staff correspondent of the Pittsburg Dispatch, who was ordered to leave Cuba by the Spanish authorities, has left Havana, but not the island. Fluding the vigilance of the Spanish and of the Spanish spies who were deputed to carry out the ediet of the deportation, Mr. Scovel made a dash through the lines, and is now once more with the the army of General Maximo Gomez, where, for the time being, at least, he is safe from the orders of arrest and banishment issued by the officials of Castle Moro.

The military authorities were greatly incensed by the escape of Scovel, and made every effort to prevent any information of the deed of during leaving Havana. A brief message from another correspondent was slipped over to Llonda and telegraphed from there. It reads:

"The disappearance of Sylvester Scovel from the Cuban capital is a sensation second only to the recall of General Campos. The authorities were making preparations to carry out the order of banishment when they suddenly discovered that their victim was not to be found. He had not been locked up, but was under military surveillance, and it never entered the heads of the haughty Spaniards that he would again attempt to break through the lines, which are supposed to tightly inclose Havana. Nothing definite is known here as

to the exact manner of his escape." A battle of importance is reported to have occurred yesterday at Fairones, only five miles south of Pinar del Rio. The column of troops commanded by Major Sanchez, numbering 360, was attacked by 2,000 in surgents under Macco. Lieutenant Colonel San Martin, at the head of 300, came to the assistance of Sanchez, and a flerce combat was precipitated. The official account received says that the insurgents were forced to retreat, leaving thirty

killed behind and carrying off 300 wounded It is known that Maximo Gomez and his force were last evening at San Jose de las Lajas, about the center of Havana province, so that it is evident that he has made another of his charicteristic coun-

Antonio Quesada, mayor f Havana, has

been dismissed. The Proclamation Ready.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—It is learned from a trustworthy source that the United States is about to recognize the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents. There is high authority for the statement that President Cleveland was ready on Saturday to issue a proclamation recognizing the belligerency of the revolutionists, and that it was withheld on account of the announcement of the recall of General Campos. It was felt by the president that to issue a proclamation immediately on the heels of this action would be an affront to the Spanish government, and a delay of a few days was accordingly decided upon.

The Senate on Cuban Recognition. WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Senators Sherman. Morgan and Lodge, who constitute the sub-committee on Cuban affairs of the committee on foreign relations, met yesterday for consultation. There is reason for

believing that the sub-committee has virtually agreed upon a resolution commending the recognition of the belligerency of the Cubans and that a report to this effect will be made to the full committee at its meeting tomorrow. It is possible that the resolution may only go to the extent of expressing sympathy for the Cuban cause, and the sub-committee is trying to keep its proceedings a close secret.

Killed by a Falling Tree.

GREENSBURG, Pa., Jan. 21.—Daniel Sheets, a prominent farmer living near Jones' Mills, was instantly killed, his two little children, aged 5 and 7 years, and Harry Baker, a neighbor, were fatally hurt; John Rhodes seriously injured and Mrs. Sheets badly bruised in an accident on Chestnut Ridge. The party were returning home from church in a slea, and while ascending Laurel Hill a large tree fell across the sled in which they were sit-ting. A limb of the tree passed entirely through Mr. Sheets. The children were crushed in a terrible manner, and Baker had his back broken.

Salvationists Will Not Revolt

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Ballington Booth commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, makes a public statement regarding his recall to England. "The orders to relinquish our command." he says, "are in accordance with the discipline of the organization, it being of a strictly military character. In pursuance of military obedience, and regardless of our own feelings, we are proceeding to put all things in preparation that our successors may find as little difficulty as possible upon assuming their command. We have no information as to who our successors will be."

Seventh Victim Recovered.

St. Louis, Jan. 21.-Workmen searching the rains of the Excelsion Wire and Iron company for the remains of Charles Erickson, came upon his body yesterday afternoon. He was standing upright against the north wall, pinioned down by an elevator dram. He was burned beyond recognition and his skull was crushed in. Deceased was killed in the explosion of fireworks several weeks ago. He is the seventh victim of the disaster recovered.

Cardinal Meignan Dead.

Tours, France, Jan. 21.—Cardinal Guil laume Rene Meignau, archbishop of Tours was found dead in bed yesterday. Cardinal Meignan was born in 1817 and was created a cardinal in 1893 Of recent years he distinguished himself in his attitude towards the republic by following the conciliatory policy of Pope Leo XIII.

Blew Up His Home, Then Shot Himself. EVANSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 21.-R.W. Steincker, a brickmaker residing at No. 11 West Iowa street, blew up his residence with powder which he had placed in a beer keg. Immediately afterwards Steinecker went to his stable and committed suicide by shooting. Steinecker was a prominent and wealthy citizen. No one was in the house when the explosion took

Preacher Shot at His Own Door. Toomsnono, Ga. Jan. 21.—News has just been received here of the mysterious assassination of the Rev. Warren Powers, a well known country preacher, near Hall's Station, this county. Powers was called to his door at night and shot, falling dead in the arms of his wife. A man named Dixon, a member of Powers' congregation,

is under arrest on suspicion. Sent Up for Ten Years.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 21. - Raymond Elroy and James E. Moore, who were suspected of the murder of Pope in a saloon in the annexed district, New York, were yesterday sentenced to ten years in the panitontiary. They were convicted here for hold ing up and robbing four men in a sub urban hotel last fall.

Dr. Jameson Off for Natal.

London, Jan. 21. - A dispatch from Capetown to The Times says; Dr. Jameson and his officers have started for the Natal border under escort. The majority of the policical prisoners have been released on ball in £2,69) each, but Colonel Bhodes and the other traders remain in custody.

IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

Opposing Phases of the Monroe Doctrine in the Upper Body.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.-Two opposing phases of the Monroe doctrine were presented in the senate yesterday-one from the committee on foreign relations, favoring a strong reaffirmation of the doctrine and another from Mr. Sewell, of New Jersey, urging that the doctrine had been carried so far beyond its scope as to threaten

dangerous consequences.

Mr. Davis, of Linnesota, presented the committee report, as he is author of the resolution embodying essential features of all previous resolutions. Mr. Sewell's speech attracted attention from the fact that it is the first utterance of opposition to the prevailing tendency in congress on the doctrine, and moreover, the New Jersey senator used direct language in criticizing the haste of the president in precipitating a question which involved the possibilities of war.

The silver bond bill was laid aside temporarily, as no senator was ready to speak. Mr. Platt and Mr. Hale pointed out the delay on this measure, and Mr. Platt asked that a day be set for a vote. Mr. Jones, of Arkansas, in charge of the measure. de clined to fix a time, as several senators were still to be heard.

Mr. Peffer's bill concerning congres sional funerals was further discussed and then referred to the committee on rules with a view to formulating a general rule on funerals.

Mr. Pugh's resolution for silver payments of outstanding government obligations did not reach a vote, although urged by its author.

The session of the house was devoid of public interest. Quite a number of bills of minor and purely local importance were passed, and also the military academy appropriation bill. Among the measures introduced was a resolution by Mr. Gibson, of Tennessee, for the recognition of the Cuban insurgents as belligerents.

Foraker Pledged to McKinley.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 21.-M. A. Hanna, who is one of the closest friends of ex-Governor McKinley, speaking today on the rumors to the effect that Senator-elect Foraker would be a candidate for the presidency, said that such talk was simply rubbish. Foraker, he said, was pledged to the support of McKinley and he was too noble and honorable a man to violate those pledges. Mr. Hanna was certain that Foraker would give earnest and loyal support to McKinley, and that Ohio would have but one candidate for the presidency.

Death of Rev. Dr. Armitage.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Rev. Dr. Thomas-Armitage: the well known Baptist minister, died yesterday at his home in Yonkers, aged 76. At the age of 16 he was licensed in England as a preacher in the Methodist church. In 1833 he came to New York and immediately after began preaching, continuing in the Methodist church until 1648, when he was baptized into the Baptist church. His history of the Baptist church, written in 1885, is the acknowledged history of the denomination.

Five Children Burned.

OTTAWA, O., Jan. 21.—Almost the entire population of Cuba, a village in the western part of Putnam county, was engaged vesterday in dragging Blanchard river for the bodies of five children, a girl and four boys, drowned Sunday afternoon. Three children of John Shuman and two of George Formas, of Cuba, were playing on the ice when it broke and four of the children disappeared. The oldest, a boy of 16, attempted to rescue the girl and was drowned also.

Three Millions for a Hospital.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 21.—The will of Mrs. Anna R. Aspinwall, of this city, who died recently in Edinburgh, Scotland, was filed in the county courts yesterday. With the exception of a few plantings donated to the Academy of the Fine Arts, in Philadelphia, she bequeaths her entire fortune, estimated at \$3,000,000, to the Hospital of the Protestant Episcopal church, Philadelphia. The will will be contested by a niece of the deceased. Miss Dellafield, of this city.

Mrs. Angeller Must Stand Trial. BALTIMORE, Jan. 21.—Judge. Dennis, in the criminal court, denied the motion to release Mrs. M V. Angelier, who shot and killed Charles F. Parker of Massachusetts. a week ago, and remanded both the woman and her husband, who is held as an accessory, to jail without bail. The judge said the case looked to him like premeditated murder. Mrs. Angelier's plea is that

she killed Parker in defense of her honor. Populist Convention in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Jan. 21 -The members of the executive committee of the Populist national committee and the Business Men's league, of St. Louis, yesterday completed all details for the July convention, and executed a contract whereby the Populists will be given the use of the ball in the exposition building now being prepared for the Republican national convention.

Chief Clarence to be Recalled.

Colon, Colombia, Jan. 21.—It is reported here that the Mosquito Indians, including Chief-Andrew Hendy, will invite Chief Clarence to return to the Mosquito territory. Chief Clarence was deposed by tho Nicaraguans in 1894, and subsequently went to Jamaica, where it was said he was in receipt of a pension from the British government.

Choynski Defeats Hall.

Maspeth, L. I., Jan.21.-Joe Choynski, of California, and Jim Hall, of Australia, met for a twenty round bout in the arena of the Empire Athletic club last night. Choynski was too much for the Australian, and after thirteen vigorous rounds had been fought Hall was unable to respond to the call, having been completely knocked out.

Another Patal Gasoline Explosion, CINCINNATI, Jan. 21.-Jacob Bruehl, a barber, his wife and 7-year old boy were fatally burned at their residence on Knowlton street, Cumminsville, from the effects of an explosion of a gasoline stove. The father received his injuries trying to save his sick child after the bed had caught

INVITATIONS EXTENDED

To England and Venezuela by the Venezuelan Commission. .

THEIR EVIDENCE IS SOLICITED.

Should the Governments Send Representatives to Present Their Claims to the Disputed Territory Our Commissioners Will be "Grateful for Such Evidence of Good

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Venezuelan commission has invited the governments of Great British and of Venezuela to submit to it all of the evidence in their possession to further the work of the commission, to be represented before it by attorneys, and all of this with the reservation that such representation and appearance shall not be deemed an abandonment of any rights or position heretofore assamed. It has done this in order that the proceedings of the commission may not be said to be ex parte, that the truth may appear, and that time may be saved in the inquiry with which the commission is

The invitation goes in the shape of a letter to Secretary Olney, who has made response, saying that he has transmitted a copy of the commission's views to the two governments concerned. The letter to Secretary Olney, which is signed by President Brewer, was drawn up at the meeting held on Wednesday, Jan. 15, and is in part as follows:

"It must have suggested itself to you, as it no doubt has to the president, that this commission bears only a remote resemblance to those tribunals of an international character of which we have had several examples in the past. They were constituted by or with the consent of the disputants themselves, and were authorized by the parties immediately conserned to pronounce a final judgment. Their functions were, therefore, confined to the exercise of judicial powers, and they might fairly expect to reach a result satisfactory to their own consciences, while it commanded the respect of those whose interests were directly involved.

"The present commission, neither by the mode of its appointment nor by the nature of its duties, may be said to be left to tribunals of this character. Whatever may be the conclusion reached, no territorial aggrandizement, nor material gain in any form can accrue to the United States. The sole concern of our government is the peaceful solution of a controversy between two friendly powers, for the just and honorable settlement of the title to disputed territory, and the protection of the United States against any fresh acquisitions in our hemisphere on the part of

any European state. It has seemed proper to the commission, under these circumstances, to suggest to you the expediency of calling the attention of the governments of Great Venezuela to the appoint Britain and ment of the commission, and explaining both its nature and object. It may be that they will see a way, entirely consistent with their own sense of international propriety, to give the commission the aid that it is no doubt in their power to furnish In the way of documentary proof. If either should deem it appropriate to designate an agent or attorney, whose duty it would be to see that no such proofs were omitted or overlooked, the commission would be grateful for such evidence of good will, and for the valuable results which would

be likely to follow therefrom. "Any act of either government in the direction here suggested might be accompanied by an express reservation as to her claims, and should not be deemed to be an abandonment, or impairment, of any position heretofore expressed. The purposes of the pending investigation are certainly hostile to none, nor can it be of advantage to any that the machinery devised by the government of the United States to secure the desired information should fail in its

The secretary's reply was short and formal, merely an acknowledgment of the receipt of the letter and a statement that he had caused copies of it to be sent to the British and Venezuelan governments. It cannot be said that the commission is consident of a favorable response from both parties to the boundary controversy, although the courteous terms in which the suggestion is couched, and the wide latitude of reservation permitted each party, leads to the natural hope that It will be accepted.

Meanwhile the commission will proceed on the original line of inquiry, which promises to be a slow and difficult task, trusting to the abridgement of the proceedings later on by the production of evidence by both parties, and the appearance of attorneys, when the proceedings may at once take on the form of a judicial trial, and the attainment of a conclusion be correspondingly hasten d.

The first business at yesterday's meeting was the selection of officers, and first of these chosen was S. Malet-Prevost, secretary of the commission. Mr. Whitmore, of Ithaca, N. Y., was selected as one of the stenographers, and Walter Moulthrop, of the District of Columbia, was appointed a messenger. A few other appointments will be made hereafter as the need for further help appears.

Maryland's Senatorial Deadlock. Annapolis, Jan. 21.—The Republican senatorial caucus met last night, and after remaining in session for an hour and a half adjourned to meet again tonight,

Three ballots were taken, with the following result: First ballot: Wellington, 29; Goldsborough, 25; Westcott, 17; Mullikin. 4; Dixon, 2; Mudd, 1. Second ballot: Wellington, 20; Goldsborough, 27; Westcott, 14; Mullikin, 5; Dixon, 2; Mudd, 1. Third ballot: Wellington, 26; Goldsborough, 26; Westcott, 19; Mullikin, 4; Dixon,

Mother's Mania for Murder.

ROCHESTER, Jan. 21.-Within a fortnight Mrs. James Doyle has tried to chloroform her husband, to poison her child twice and to commit suicide by cutting her throat. She will be placed in an asylum.

THE BRITISH FLYING SQUADRON A Sensational Statement Regarding the Fleet Proves Senseless.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.-The statement cabled from London by the United Press that the British flying squadron is supplied with charts of North American waters, the West Indies and the Mediterranean is ridiculed by naval authorities here so far as it is attempted to attach any particular significance to the fact. Most, if not all, naval vessels intended for foreign service carry charts of the world at large, for it never can be foreseen when they leave their home port for a foreign station when it may be necessary to send them at notice so short as to preclude the

mailing of charts to them. In this fashion one of the British fleet sent to our great rendezvous about two years ago was suddenly dispatched from Hampton Roads straightaway to South America to meet an emergency, a course that could not have been pursued unless the ship had been supplied in advance with a full set of charts. Moreover, such a complete set is absolutely necessary in the case of a flying squadron sailing under sealed orders, for otherwise the secrecy desired could not be maintained if a certain line of charts were selected.

Flying Squadron Review Postponed. London, Jan. 21.—The review of the flying squadron by the queen, it is an nounced, has been postponed until tomorrow. Nothing definite as to the time of starting or the destination of the squadron is known yet. The morning papers state that Admiral Drake takes maps of the Atlantic stations, but that this is always done when the fleet starts on any cruise and implies nothing unusual.

The Alabama Contest,

MONTGOMERY, Jan. 21.—The Democratic state executive committee meets here this afternoon. It is the first opening gun of the campaign for governor in which Captain Johnson, free silverite, and Congress man Clarke, gold monometalists, will contest. Johnson's men are claiming a vic tory by having secured, they allege. pledges for a majority of members to vote for John B. Knox, of Calhoun, a Johnston man, for chairman to succeed H. C. Tompkins, who resigns to become a can didate to succeed United States Senator

Charged with Infanticide.

St. Louis, Jan. 21.—Peter Simon and Kate Spriak were arrested here yesterday on information from the chief of police of Newark, N. J., who states that there is a charge of assault to kill his wife against Simon, Simon's mother-in-law also charges him with poisoning his children, Katie and Freddie, for the insurance on their lives. They died about a month ago, and soon after Simon came here with Miss Spriak, with whom he was living when arrested. The prisoner denies that he killed bis children.

Contradicted by the Sublime Porte.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21. - The Turkish legation has received from the sublime porte the following telegram: "Please contradict most emphatically the absurd assertions concerning a supposed destruction of 500 Christian villages and towns out of 550, in the province of San, and a forced conversion to Islamism of Armenians, as alleged in a letter written by the American missionary, Miss Grace Kimball, of San, to the president of a relief committee of New York."

Assaulted by Strikers.

EASTON, Pa., Jan. 21.—There was a break in the moulders' strike at the Ingersoll-Sergeant Drill works yesterday, when four more of the strikers returned to work. As the men entered the plant they were assaulted by a mob-of-strikers, and a small sized riot ensued. during which some of the returning strikers were roughly handled. Superintendent Elder called upon the sheriff, who swore in several deputies to protect the men. Seven of the rioters have been arrested.

The Conquered Ashantees.

London, Jan. 21.—The Post has a dispatch from Coomassie which says that King Prempeh and all his relatives have been arrested pending the payment of an indemnity. It has developed that King Prempeh was stupefied with drugged food during the palaver. Evidently he is only a puppet in the hands of his advisors. The troops have destroyed the sacrificial grove. which was found to be full of bones and skulls of human beings.

Alleged Defaulter Brought Back. Phyladelphia, Jan. 21. - Benjamin Johnson, the alleged defaulter who was charged with having absconded with \$15.-000 of the funds of Whitlock & Kendall, brokers at Third and Chestnut streets, arrived in this city yesterday from Tampa, Fia , where he was arrested on the charge of being a fugitive from justice. He was taken before Magistrate Jermon and released on \$5,000 bail for a hearing today.

Plaisted Will Accept Anthes' Challenge, BOSTON, Jan. 21. -- Fred Plaisted, of Portland, Me., has signified his willingness to meet A. Anthes, of New York, who claims to be the long distance champion oarsman. Anthes recently issued a challenge to all

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

Mme. Modjeska, the well known actress, is seriously ill at Cincinnati. General Lee's birthday was generally ob-

served throughout the south yesterday. Martin C. Herman, ex-judge of Cumberland county, died at Carlisle, Pa, last John Tyler, Jr., the oldest son of Presi-

dent Tyler, is dying in Washington. He is 72 years of age. American District telegraph boys in Philadelphia are on strike for \$4 per week

and ten hours a day. John C. Szutce, a well known Nebraska politician, hanged himself at Niobrara, Neb. Grief over his wife's impending

death caused the deed. John Messengale, a fugitive condemned murderer, who escaped from jail five years ago, is reported to have been shot by pursum officers in the mountains of Tennessee.

DROPPED INTO A MINE

Singular Accident to a Lehigh Valley Railroad Train.

THE ENGINEER CRUSHED TO DEATH

The Fireman Escaped with a Lacerated, Scalp Wound, but Will Probably Die. Miraculous Escape of Passengers-Traffia Will be Blocked for Several Days.

HAZLETON, Pa., Jan. 21.—The Lehigh Valley train which left Wilkesbarre at 5:15 o'clock last night, and is due here at 7:22, in charge of Engineer Michael Lonzer and Conductor George Reese, was precipitated into a coal mine near this place. Lonzer was wedged between the baggage car and the ground, and was crushed to death. The fireman, Frederick Meyers, escaped with a lacerated scalp, but will probably die. Several passengers were injured, but all were able to walk to this city. Since the wreck the earth has dropped completely into the mines, which are operated by Linderman & Skeer, and steam from the underground cavity is issuing from the hole. Traffic will be blocked for several days, both main tracks being af-

For several years past the road between here and Stockton has been the scene of many caveins, and to guard against accidents three watchmen were placed at different points to notify trains of any possible danger. About three hundred yards below No. 8 Stockton the road caved in to a depth of six feet. The watchmen had just passed, and found everything in good condition. They accordingly signaled the . train, which was going at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour. The engine struck the sag and bounded from the track. The engineer and fireman, were thrown and the passengers were hurled promiscuously about the ear. The engine and baggage car fell on one side, and but for a coal bank which guarded them much loss of life would have resulted. Had the caveir occurred a half hour earlier it would have caught the miners' and silk mill train, which carries several hundred girls and a hundred or more miners.

A W. C. T. U. Petition.

Boston, Jan. 21.—The reported decision of the sultan of Turkey forbidding Miss Clara Barton and the Rod Cross society from entering his domains, to relieve the sufferings of the Armenians, has led Mits Francis E. Willard and her sister officers of the national W. C. T. U. to send a petition to congress, also to request every statf W. C. T. U. to do the same and duplicate this petition to every state legislature. These officials express the hope that this practical effort to cause something to be done on a large scale for the Armenians will actract wide attention and will doubtless cause other great societics of women to send similar petitions.

American Prisoners in the Transvaal. WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Senators Whiteand Perkins, of California, had an inter view with Scoretary Olney yesterday concerning the imprisoment of Mr. Hammond and other Americans in the Transvaal, and afterwards united in a statement to the effect that "We are satisfied the scoretary of state has done and is doing his utmost to protect American interests in the Transvaal. Mr. Olney stated that statements made derogatory to Mr. Munion, our consular agent at Johannesburg, are untrue. It is not thought probable that any real danger can arise without due notice to our government."

There May be a Lynching.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Jan. 21.-A negro giving his name as Marshal Johnson, of Wheeling, arrived here yesterday under arrest, suspected of perpetrating the recent outrage on little Lulu Wetherell, He was met at the depot by 2,000 people. Eight nolicemen escorted him to the jail, where the crowd swelled to 3,000. There was no attempt at violence, and there will be none, unless he is identified. In case of his identification he will surely be lynched, and this with the full approbation of the negro population.

General Harrison's Movements.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Ex-President Harrison was busily engaged yesterday in his rooms in the Fifth Avenus hotel preparing his argument in the Wrightirrigation case, which comes up for hearing in Washington on Thursday or Friday. The suis has nothing to do with the Stanford estate, but is an appeal to sustain the Wright law on irrigation matters, which was declared unconstitutional by Judge Ross, of the state court of California. Ex-Prosident Harrison will leave for Washington tonight.

Successful Arbitration.

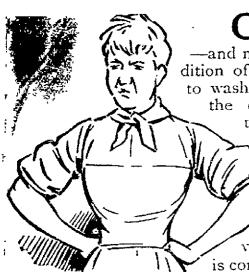
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—The board of directors of the Union Traction company held a meeting yesterday for the purpose of considering the recommendations made in the report of the joint commission for the settlement of the complaints of the dissatisfied employes. When the meeting adjourned the announcement was made that the board had agreed to abide by the terms of the report of the peacemakers. Every suggestion was agreed to without modification.

Chaffey Gives Up Barrett's Stealings.

Boston, Jan. 21. - James S. Chaffey, who became notorious recently as the receiver of upwards of \$20,000 worth of property, alleged to have been stolen by William Barrett, who is now serving a life sentence for murder, has given up all claim to the property seized last month. which, it is claimed, included the furnishings of Barrett's rooms on Bhot street, The goods will now be sold for the benefit of Mrs. Barrett.

Alleged Asylum Immoralities.

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 21.-An investigation will be made by a committee of the legislature of the charges made against the officials of the asylum for the dev dumb and blind at Staunton. The wors. necusation is that several girl ir mat s have been believed by their tutors.



Out of sorts

-and no wonder. Think of the condition of those poor women who have to wash clothes and clean house in the old-fashioned way. They're tired, vexed, discouraged, out of sorts, with aching backs

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THE EARLY BIRD CATCHES THE WORM.

A blid of ce read this cute old saw, Then to himsel he said, "If I can catch that same old worm I'll carl, leave my bed."

And so he did, but that old worm The same cute saw had read, Then sag by took his morning snooze, And but is reaked home unted.

MORAL

The maxima lacks consistency Whichever way you squirm, For what is good advice for "bird" fs had advice for "worm."

- Boston Tran-cript.

A WILD RIDE.

"It's now scarcely 12 months ago," said Jack Coleman as a party of us drew around our can pire, "that I was piloting a small party of Uncle Sam's mon up to one of the new forts on the upper Brazos-I believe they called it Fort Belknap or some such name. The sojers was a precious set of greenhorns-new recruits, I should think.

"Well, these fellows were under the command of a white skinned, girlish looking young chap, fresh from West Point. But young and green as he was the lieutenant was a gentleman and at heart as good a fellow as ever lived.

"The party was mounted on such nags as the quartermaster could purchase for them in a hurry, for though they were infantry the journey before them was too long to be undertaken afoot over the grassy prairie.

"Scarcely any of the men had ever before thrown leg over hogekin, but the lientenant knew something about riding. I believe he said he had been learned it where he learned sojering. and after a few days could sithis saddle and bear the fatigue as well as any old

"I'd been down to San Antonio about three weeks, and when the quartermaster engaged me to pilot the sojers Strawberry had had the quiet range of the prairie all that time, and when we took the trail he was in prime order.

"The more I got acquainted with the lieutenant the better I liked him. But the fellows he had along with him were of no account, and I knew if the Ccmanches or Kiowas should cross our trail they couldn't be depended on.

"We journeyed with the Brazos on our left and in a northwest direction till, after about a week or so, we reached the headwaters of the Leon river, and as we'd discovered no signs of Indians I was glad to think we'd have no occasion to try the spunk of our greenhorns in a fight.

"We had reached the foot of the Black Hills, where the country is badly cut up with deep barraneas, crossing each other in every direction, and having had a hard day's travel I proposed an early camp. While looking for a suitable spot I discovered fresh horse trucks and knew that a large party of Indians were in the vicinity. I informed the lieutenant of my discovery and advised him to secrete his men as soon as pos-ible, for as yet I was convinced our approuch had not been detected.

"But as soon as the men heard the word 'Indians' they set up such a hurrah that you'd 'a' thought them the bravest chaps in the world, and it was not long before I knew that the Indians | guished pipe and preferred to move the had discovered us, for we could hear animal to a fiesh graving spot, "is them calling to each other in the bottom, worth his weight in gold, and I recken of one of the deep gullics and preently a score or two showed their heads above the edge of the bank, and letting fly a volley dodged out of sight again.

"I was for getting out of the prairie as soon as possible and reaching a spot among the rock- at the commencement of the rising ground, where we could receive them at a better advantage, but the heutenant was so gras, y for a fight that he wouldn't listen to me a moment and gave orders for his men to dismount and form in regular line and await the attack.

"But scattely had some of them obeyed the order than we heard a yell, and the next moment the prairie was covered with a host of mounted Kiowas that came pouring out of a barranca and charged right down upon us The sojers who had not obeyed the or der, trusting more to their horses' heels than to their rifles, put spurs to their broken down nags and attempted to escape. But they might as well have essaved to fly from the swift tornado as to get beyond the reach of those wild riders. A part of the whooping savages made a dash for the cowardly tools and soon had their scalps, while the rest, ranging past us with a headlong gallop and lying over upon the farther side of the fierv little mustangs, sent a volley into our ranks. And now, taking my advice, the licutement ordered his fellows to remount and in close order make an effort to gain the rocks. But two of the men were past mounting, and we had to leave them.

"We had about half a mile to go to get among the nearest rocks, but to do so we had to run the gantlet of the Indians, who kept up a hot discharge which made desperate work in our little ranks. We spurred through the savages, who attempted to cut in ahead of us, and with our sabers and revolvers kept the track clear till we had reached

"Having gained the spot, however, we found to our chagiin that our situstion was but little improved, for the reckless and undisciplined men in their eagerness to escape had thrown away their muskets and were now, with the exception of their sabers, entirely unarmed. But the licutenant and myself, besides our revolvers, had each a heavy

"In the meantime our pack mules had fallen into the hands of the sav-

"I reckoned we were within about 20 fulles or so of the fort and proposed to the lieutenant that while he set his poor devils to work gathering up the loose rocks and making a barricade I would endeaver to dash through the Indians and after reaching the post return as rapidly as possible with a sufficient force to relieve him.

"As this seemed to be the only feasi-

ble plan, the lieutenaut approved of it, and waiting only for the cover of the approaching night I was prepared to make the desperate attempt. I tightened Strawberry's saddle girth and during the short twilight led him carefully under cover of the scattered rocks and mesquite bushes to smooth ground, and

after I had turned the projecting point if high rocks mounted, and with an encomaging hint from my heel gave him

"But caution as I had been the wily

Indians had been watching all my motions, and scarcely had I emerged upon level ground than, filling the air with derisive yells, a score or two of the printed rascals, mounted on their fleetst musium, gave chase.

"Yet I know callant little Strawberry could outrue any Indian mag I ever had a trial with, and without pushing him overhard I fl w out over the prairie The Ladians calcab flank of melcoutin aed to rise apparently nom out the

"Scareely Lad the brief twilight end ed than the respided disk of the full moon peered over the crest of the hills and streamed a silver flood of light over the wild so no

"But presently I had other objects to outemplate, for in the light of the risang orb I could , are 15 + that I was approteining curst those deep, almost bottomless barraners, while the Indians, yelsing exultance, gathered closer upon

I was fairly outraped! Should I draw rear and two upon my pursuers or sink med aw to into the flanks of my fearless little charger and seek death with Lim in the yar aing chasm below?

"I had but a bit the to decide, and as I would at leat thus save my scalp from my hat d parsuers I resolved to brave the http://and.cl.sed.my.eyes and chucked by to to for the awill leap.

"Without swarvin; an meh or evinoing the hat fear the noble animal dashed on. I felt the yielding air rush with hightur 5 speed past me, my breath was taken from use, and then, quicker than the flight of thought, I felt his fore feet strike upon the solid earth, then an instant's: truggle with his hind feet as if the ground was crombling beneath them, and then-heaven be praised!-I haw that we were on the firm, level ground of the prairie, with the frightful ravine between us and om baffled parsuers

"We were safe, for not even the bravest of the Indians dated to make the desperate leap, and as the barranea doubtless extended for nules into the prairie further parsuit was out of the question.

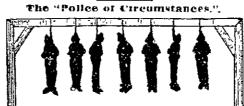
"In less than two hours I reached Fort Belkurp, and before the light of the next maning broke over the green expanse up arty of troopers had followed me to the spot where I had left the brave young officer and the remnant of

his men. "But we had arrived too late. The spot was silent, and the ground so re cently occupied by the Kiowas wavacant, while among stones of the demolished harmeade were found only the scalpless and margical remains of my late comp., Lons.

"That hitle Strawberry," concluded the guide as he threw aside his extin worth his weight in gold, and I reckon if any becamever de erved kind treatraent at his master's hands it's ham."--New York No as

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-There are two unclaimed letters in Mount Hope post office,-Mrs. Sarah Smith and Annie Carpenter.

-Mr. James Jeffers was the first man to pay his tax. Tuesday morning. The whole amount callected by Mr. Mitchell that day was \$280 46. -Mr. Emil Guermonprez, of Middletown, spent a few days last week

with Mr. John Saybolt.

-Rev. Lumber Littell preached a very interesting sermon on missions the second Sunday in January and the annual collection was taken for the Board of Foreign Missions.

-Mrs. James D. Jeffers entertaintained a few friends last Tuesday

-Rev. Luther Littell was a very busy man last Wednesday evening, when he married three couples between 6 o'clock and midnight.

-Mr. Harvey Kyrk, of Fair Oaks, called on frienda nere, last Tuesday. -Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Tyreil are visiting their friends in Jersey City.

-Mrs. Wm. E. Johnson, who was the guest of her mother, last weak, returned to New York on Friday.

-Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ketcham entertained a few friends at his father's home in Otieville, on Friday

-Mr. Wm. Nelson, of Mapledale, returned to New York, Saturday.

-Mr. Charles and Mils Grace Boyd entertained a few young friends at their home near Otisville, Saturday evening.

-Mrs. Louisa Halstead, who spent a few weeks in Jersey City, returned home last Monday.

-Mr. Wm. H. Carpenter spent Sunday with friends in Ridgebury.

-Mrs. Flora McBride, of Jersey City, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Louisa Halstead.

-Invitations are out for the wedding of Mr. Charles Carpenter and Mies Mary Potter at Quarryville, N. J., Wednesday, Jan. 22J, at 12:30.

MOUNT SALEM-

Cutting fee and |Draw ng Wood-Try ing the sieighing-A Ravager of Ben Acosts-Other Notes

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

-Mt. Salem is very quiet and not much is going on, except that the farmers are geting ice of very fine quality and replenishing their wood piles for the year.

-The first sleigh bells of the season were heard Monday of this week. Mr. G. Lawis, of the mountain road, was trying the sleighing, which was very thin.

-Farmers about here have been roubled, this winter, with some kind of an animal entering their henneries | Episcopal Church that it is proposed and killing from two to four hens at to build in the west end of the vila time. The heads of the fewls are lage, generously donated by Mr. eaten off and the codies left. What | Wm. H. Wood, has been marked out | the animal is they have been unable to find out. -Mr. and Mrs. George Wyant are

very happy since the new year began, for they have a young daughter.

-Mr. M. Van Inwegen lost a valuable horse, a few days age, and has purchased another in its place.

-John Dunn and John Ferguson, of near here, have been spending the past week or two at Goshen attend ing court as jurymen.

WESTTOWN. Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

-Next Thursday evening, Jan. 23rd, a sociable will be held at Mrs. Francis Barton's, Westtown, in connection with the M. E. Church. A musical programme will be rendered. Mrs. George Elston will take part in the programwe.

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WAWAYANDA.

A Victim of Neuralgia-The lee Barvest-Getting Ready to Build the New Church-The Situation Stated in Rhyme-Winter, Birds scarce.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

-Gideon W. Cock, who has for several days past been terribly afflicted with that painful complaint, tic dolourex or neuralgia of the face. co tiques to suffer excruciating pains with but little relief from medical assistance. His right eye has become nearly closed from the severe effects of the dire complaint.

-Common highways are now in better condition than at any time this year.

-The most important thusiness pursued by the farmers now is securing their ice crop and filling ice houses. The ice is ten inches thick, and with good weather to favor the busy workers, a large crop of fine ice will be harvested. The largest ice house in this town adjoins the milk bottling establishment at Slate Hill. It will hold 480 tons.

-On account of the dry and open winter and bare ground it is rather an unfavorable time for blacksmithe to get wealthy in sharp-aboeing horses or rigging up sleighs, etc. -I have heard but little grumbling

among taxpayers this winter, even it is close times to get money. The reason is our town affairs are judiciously supervised.

—The site for the new Methodist and is ready to commence operations on next spring.

-A short crop of hay will soon melt away and many farmers will have to buy before the first of May. So the people say, a big price we will to pay, without much delay, or the cattle around the barn, will lay just as certain as night follows day. See ?

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AN EQUINE HOLOCAUST.

A Score of Morses Burned to Death at

Lancaster, Pu. LANCASTER, Pa., Jan 21 -Fire last night destroyed the large frame livery and boarding stables of Benjamin W. Hirsh. in the central section of the city. The building was of frame, and the flames spread with great rapidity, the structure being a blazing mass when the firemen reached it. There were between thirty and forty horses in the stables when the fire broke out, and less than half of them were gotten out, the number burned being estimated at twenty or more. Among these were valuable animals with good race track records. The terror of the frightened beasts, penned in their flam-ing prison, added to the excitement. The firemen were hampered in the work

of preventing the spread of the flames by a network of electric light, telephone and telegraph wires surrounding the building Nothing in the building was saved, the efforts of the firemen being directed to saving the adjoining property. Quantities of oats, hay and other material were destroyed, together with many valuable carctages. The loss will aggregate upwards of \$20,000. The fire is thought to have been of incendiary origin.

Alleged Filibuster on Trial.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 21 - In the United States district court yesterday, before Judge Brawley, Captain Laurence Hughes, of the steamship Laurada, was en trial for alleged violation of the neutrainty laws. Seaman Axel Hedland, the first of at least a dozen government witnesses, was on the stand for two hours. He testified to the taking aboard of men, arms and ammunition about three and a half miles out of New York, of their drilling on shipboard during the the trip, and finally of their landing on the coast of Cuba. Rediand was followed by other witnesses who testified to the same effect.

The Deep Waterways Commission. DETROIT, Jan. 21.—The deep waterways joint commission completed its work, as far as can be done at the present prelimmary session, yesterday. A large amount of data will have to be prepared in Canada under the United States and exchanged and compared before any intelligent report can be made. An arrangement has been made for the interchange of this information. As soon as it has been exchanged and compiled another meeting of the commission will be held

Brazil Is Also After England.

BUENOS ATRES. Jan. 21 -A. dispatch to La Preusa from Rio Janeiro says that Senhor Carvelhoe, minister of foreign af fairs, is preparing a note demanding the immediate restitution of the Isle of Trinidad, which has been occurred by Great Britain. It is stated that a refusal on the part of Great Britain to restore Trinidad to Brazil will lead to a rupture of diplomatic relations between Great Bistain and

To Prohibit Encket Shops.

REHMOND, Va., Jan. 21 -In the s nare Mr Mushback of Alexandria introduced a bill to probibit bucket shops and specu lations in margins. The provision - of the bill are sweeping, and if enacted would make it impossible to conduct a backet shop or deal in margins in this state. This bill is introduced as an offset to the efforts to suppress pool selling on race

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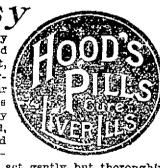


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A certified check for 12 100 pavable to the order of the Treasurer of the city of Middletown, N. Y. must accompany each bid on the Fikst Estivate, and a similar certified check for 4500 must acc impany each bid on the SECOND ESTIVATE, and a similar certified check for a 500 must acc impany each bid on the SECOND ESTIVATE. Such checks to be forteried to the city of Middletown if the successful bidder does not enter into the controls, with acceptable suicities, as required by the undersigned.

All extinates must be delivered to HENRY W WIGGINS. President of the Board of Education, at his office, 33 North street, on or before 8 p.m. of the p m of the

Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the Roard of Education on application to the President.

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

and all bids.

[Signed] HENRY W. W GGINS, Building EDWINT. HANFORD, Committee, IRA M CORWIN, Dated Jan 7th 1856.

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In Pursuance of an order of the Surrog te of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Amy R. Galloway, late of the town of Monroe, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vuchers thereof, to the subscribers, the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, at their respective places of residence, in the town of Biooming Grove, Orange county. N. X., or 137 South at set, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on or before the 20th day of March next.

GEO. W. GALLOWAY.
ALBERT R. GALLOWAY,
Executors
Dated Goshen, N. Y., Sept. 17th. 1895.
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LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the

fire alarm boxes in this city: fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wichbam ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.

15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.

16—North street and Winer Ave., type shop.

17—Raliroad Ave. and Montgomery St.

18—Grand avenue and Frince street.

23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.

24—Wickham avenue, corner Wickham avenue.

25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.

25—North and John streets.

21—North and John streets.

21—Lake avenue and West street.

22—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.

213—State Hospital.

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25—High and Hanford streets.

36—Cand street, condensery.

25—Nulberry and Futton streats.

41—Pulton street and Harr avenue.

42—Academy and Hourton avenue.

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47—Myrtle and I restect avenue. -Grant street and aprague avenue.

57-Franklin Square, 38-Fairview avenue and South street 49-Corner East Main street and Prospect

enue 54 - North street, near Orchar! 21-Rung before a box number, denotes that a test is being made 1 stroke denotes circuit broked,

2 3-15 roket of bell denotes Chief's call 2 strokes of bell denotes Chief's call 2 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time 4 strokes of bell denotes recall, fire is out

STATEMENT of the Middletown Savings Bank January 1st, 1516 Loans on bond and mortgages. \$ 10,520,00 United States bonds. 16,530,00 City, village and town bonds 521,65,00

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GEOFGE H THOMPSON. - EDITORS
J. F ROBINSON. - CITY EDITORS JR. - BUSINESS MANAGER

TUE3DAY, JAN. 21, 1896

Secretary of State Olney is quoted as saying that he believes all danger of trouble with England over the Venezuelan boundary has passed, that the effair wears an entirely different look from what it did a few weeks ago and that he feels certain that an amicable understanding will be reached before the Venezuelan commission can make its report.

Well informed politicians say that Platt's scheme is to have his aubservient legislature anticipate the Greater New York legislation, by rushing through a bill creating a metropolitan district and consolidating the police, fire and health departments of New York, Brooklyn and Long Island City. This will give Platt, through his commissioners. control of patronage to the amourt of \$15,000,000 a year and will also give him control of the election machinery. The patronage is wanted in advance of the presidential election and it is therefore proposed to make the consolidation date from June 1st, An incidental effect of the passage of the proposed measure will be to make a nonentity of Mayor Strong, who has not been at all tractable, and to retire the truculent Roosevelt to private life.

THE OLD SCHEME UP AGAIN

The Fall Elections Bill, Condemned by the People of Middletowd, Last Year, Again Before the Legislature.

A bill amending Middletown's charter by changing the time of the city election from the spring to the general election day in the fall has been introduced in the State Senate

This is the measure that the people was compelled to certify to the municipal elections from spring to Governor that this city wanted no fall. such legislation, and preferred that city politics should be kept separate from national politics.

If there has been a change in public sentiment on this matter how has it found expression? Whose finger has been on the public pulse and felt it quicken with ardor for this chang? Who stands sponsor for this bill? alley did they meet? Who held the dark lantern?

The only argument in favor of the proposed enange is that it will save the cost of one election. Ill advised economy is usually the worst form of axtravagance and we do not believe that the people of Middletown can afford to give up the principle of local self-government by merging their city affairs in the hurly burly of a general election. The fact that the scheme will be said to be in the interest of economy may be accepted as evidence that the Common Council is not responsible for its concep-

The proposed change is, of course, to become operative at once, and the city officials whose terms are about expiring are to be continued in office for nine months longer. And it is one of the odious features of this partisan measure that it thus acts as a bar between the people and the city officials, on whose records they are so anxious to pass.

We do not believe that the people of Middletown will sanction this impudent attempt of a few political tricksters to gain partisan ends. Oa the contrary we have faith that when the proper time comes they will be more emphatic in their disapproval of it than they were when they scotched its head a year ago.

An Electric Rallway Franchise Grant.

The Board of Trustees, of Port Jervis, last night, granted a franchise for an electric road in the vil lage. The company is to forfeit the sum of \$2,000 if it fails to build 43% miles of road, and after its gross receipts reach the sum of \$30,000, to pay one per cent, to the village, two per cent. on \$40,000 and over and three per cent. on \$50,000 and over.

Exposure to cold, damp winds, may result in pneumonia unless the system is kept invigorated with Hood's Sarsaparılla.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; ut now that it is generally known; that Syrup of Figs will permanently cure habitual constipation, well in formed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

Dr. Miles' Pain Fills top Headuche.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

ACETELYNE GAS EXPLODES.

Two Terrific Explosions Areck a Ma chine Shop-Many Hurt, One Killed. BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 21 -Two terrific explosions occurred, this foremous, in Pflegher's machine shop on Otown street, where experiments with acetelyne gas were being carried on. The building was badly wrecked and it was, at first, feared that many had been killed. It is now known that only one life was lost, though many were injured. The engineer, who had both legs blown off, died this after-

THE RAINES EXCISE BILL

City Senators May Deteat It Unless the Manner of Disposing of the Tax Is Changed.

BY UNITED PRESS.

Albany, Jan. 21. - Secator Captor asserts, after a canvass of the Senate, that the Republican and Democratic Senators, representing the cities, can defeat the Raines bill unless the method of distributing the revenues raised thereunder is changed.

STATE HOSPITAL TRUSTEES.

Pending Nominations to be Reported Favorably by the senate Pinance Committee.

Albany, Jan 21 -Senate Finance Committee will report favorably the nominations of Fredwick W. Devoe, of New York, and James B. Carson and Edward Tompsins, of Middletown, to be trustees of the Middletown Homeopathic Hospital.

GOVERNOR CRICGS INAUGURATED BT UNITED PRESS.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 21-Governor Griggs was inaugurated, to-day, in the presence of an immense throng of all parties,

FOR PARTISAN ENDS-

The Bill Changing Middletown's City Election from Spring to Fall Again Before the Legislature.

BY UNITED PRESS

ALBANY, Jar. 21.—Senator Lexow of Middletown disapproved of so em- has introduced in the Senate a bill phatically, last year, that the Mayor | changing the time of Middletown's

A BIG GOLO SHIPMENT. BY UNITED PRESS.

GENERAL EWING DEAD.

New York, Jan. 21 -Altogether

\$2.450,000 in gold, have been engage

ed for shipment to-morrow.

BY UNITED PRESS. New York, Jan. 21,-Gev. Thomas What con-pirators were present Ewing died, to day, from injuries by when it was prepared? In what back a cable car, received yesterday, which were at first thought to be trivial.

SOCIETY ITALO-AMERICANA-

Organization Completed-Officers Elecred--Its object-

On Saturday last, the members of the new Society Italo-Americana, met and completed the organization by the election of the following of-

President-Frank Palo. Vice-President-Louis Lisi.

Treasurer—Filippo [Liuzzi. Secretary-Domenico de Martino. Vice-Secretary-Antonio Grosso. Trustees-Nicola Lenoix, Domeni-

co Fotino, Carmine Catarzaro, Counselors-Domenico Costantino, Frank De Vite,, Pietro Veraido, An-

geto Villecco... Standard Bearers-Italian flig, Giovanni d'Avel; American flaz, Gennaro Cusco.

Inepactor-Gluseppe Fittante The society is organized for the mutual benefit of its members; to aid in securing employment and ierdering fluencial and other assistance

An Unwelcome Visitor

when no cessary.

Last evening, when Wm. Randall entered his chicken house, he found a big skunk in possesion. Mr Rindall backed out and callel to his wife to bring his revolver. Risaim was good and the unwelcome visitor was dispatched.

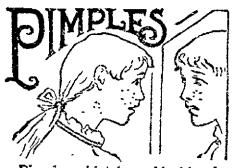
Nerves

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Are inseparably connected. The former depend simply, solely, solidly upon the latter. If it is pure they are properly fed and there is no "nervousness." If it is impure they are fed on refuse, therefore cannot be strong and healthy, and the horrors of nervous prostration result. The only sensible way to cure is. Feed the nerves on pure blood. Make pure rich, red

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uable information.

One of the letters received by Mr. Hastings gives the rallying song of the Legion, as follows:

From the Mamakating Valley, And to comoat forth we sally When our bleeding country calls From the bhawangunk Mountain hoary. And the Minisink, whose story Tells what reverence of glory Waits the soldier when he falls

From old Sullivan we muster --She is loyal, we can trust her-And from Orange and from Ulster. And from bright Cheheeton's banks: And there's plenty in these regions For a dozen more such legions,

RECENTS' EXAMINATIONS

To Be Held Next Week in Wallkill Academy-The Programme.

Regents' examinations will be held at Wallkill Academy next week, according to the following programme: vanced drawing; Monday, 1 15 p. m.,

advanced English. Tuesday morning-Arithmetic; afternoon, physical geography, geo-

Wednesday morning—Elementary Blankets. English, plane geometry, chemistry; afternoon, spelling, English composition, zoology, book-keeping.

Thursday morning-American literature. United States history; afternoon, Caesar, English history.

Friday morning-Latin, first year, drawing; afternoon, English reading, Cicero, physics, physicingy.

NEW YORK STOCK FROMATIGE REPORT

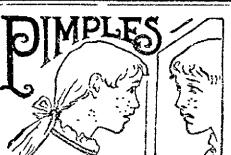
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York's Mintary History. State Historian Hugh Hastings is collecting data concerning the part played by New York regiments and organizations, 250 in all, which particicated in the war of the rebellion He has sent out 5,000 cuculars to old soldiers, and has already received many answers containing much val-

Mr. Hastings says that he already has many lateresting facts concerning the famous Teath Legion, which consisted of the 56th Regiment, the 7th and 8th New York Light Batteries, and Troops C and D, Now York Mounted R.fles, and which was recruited in the main in Orange and Sullivan counties.

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THE ARGUS

TUESDAY, JAN. 21, 1896.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASEINGTON, D. C., Jac. 21 -Threamoutng weather, to-night; tale. Wednesusy; variable winds,

TER TEMPERATURE. The following was the registry of the tres nometer at Prenk's drug store, to-day: Te, m., 280; 12 m., 360; 2 p. m. 320.

OPEN EVENINGS. The eucenness office of the "leges' S OPEN EVENINGS PROM SEVEY UNTIL MEGHT O'CLOCK

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

-Jan 2: "A dummer Shower," at Chino. -Jan 23-Progix Engine Co. Sail, at Assembly Rooms--Jan 27-Fi-ld's Minetrels, at Casine.

-Jan. 27-F1-40'd Minstreis, at Ussine.
-Feb 3-Sond Substree, Japaness would worker, for the Y. M. U. A.
-Feb 17-231 annual ball McQuoid Engine
Co. at Casino.
-Feb 18 Mesque ade ball of Penghrauch narghsh que Trine of hed Men, at the Assembly Kooms.

- Feb 19-A min reary of Lancelst Lodge K. of P., in Castle Hat! -March 1-Miss Carrie Louise Ray, for the Y. H. C. A.

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LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

-- 1 Summer Shower," to morrow

-Additional local matter will be found on third page.

-Regular drill of the 24 h Separate Company, this evening.

-Regular communication of Hoffren Lodge, F. and A. M. this even-

-Don't forget "A Summer Shower," at the Casine, to-morrow night -Fields' Minstrele, at the Casino, next Monday evening.

-Don't forget the ever popular Al Fields' Minstrels, at the Casino, next

Monday evening. -The police have been busy, today, nothlying delinquents to cean the show and its from their waks.

-Gabe Colby is out with a new cod bandsoms furniture and bag-

-The temparers of Norwich voted. Saturday, 176 to 28, to appropriate et 00% for the purchase of a steam are engine and other equipment nec-

essary for the fire department. -Much interest is felt by Middletown wheelmen in the biorcle show new in progress in Madison Square thoroughly divided without de- Garden and many of them will visit

-Forty attendants in the Bingtamtor State Hospits', who had served at least two years, were examined palatable and fresh. Gar 75 recently and thirty-two were passed as trained nurses and will receive

-The 14 h Separate Company is mentioned as one of the organizations which is to be asked to join a league of backet ball teams but as the 24th has never played the game it will probably have to the counted out.

-Tge coroner's jury in the case of Laura Ann Post, the little girl kelled in Binghamton, last week, added to rington on a fair and equitable basis, its verdict of accidental death a recommendation that the city authorities pass an ordinance putting a stop to coal picking by children witkin the city limits.

PERSONAL

-Mr. Geo F. Bailey is spending a few days in New York city.

-Capt. W. B. Rockwell was in town, yesterday.

-Mr. Charles Conklin, of Walden, is visiting his uncle, Mr. James E Comklin, of this city.

-Thomas Wright, of New York, formerly a conductor on the Susquehanna and Western, was in tuwn vesterday.

-There will be a cottage prayer meeting at Mrs. Geo Rogers', on Walikili avenue, this evening. All

are welcome. -Mr. Clarence L Hulse has accepted a position in the office of the Middletown Gas Company and will enter upon his duties on Monday.

The Newburgh Post Office

The Newburgh News, Republican, is authority for the statement that Arthur McLean and L. W. Y. Mc-Entire stock of But'ons at 5, Croskery are working together to secure the Newburgh post office for Tam O'Shan ers and Skating Mr. McLean, the understanding being that Mr. McCroskery is to be the deputy. The News says that they were in Washington, last week, and the papers were sent to the President for his consideration. The News predicts that Mr. McLean will be appointed.

> Read Ayer's Almanac, which your druggist will gladly hand you, and pointed a committee to call on the note the wonderful cures of rheumatism, catarrh, scrofuls, dyspepsis, eczema, debility, humors and sores. | crossing under its tracks. by the use of Ayer's Sarsapsrilla, the World's Fair.

Dr Miles Pain Pills are guaranteed to stop the worst in the city Factory em-

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

PROCEEDINGS OF MONDAY NIGHT'S ADJOURNED MEETING,

another Complaint of Unjust Assess ment-Claim Against the City for Breach of Contract-Wants the City emith and Bread street Sewers.

A meeting of the Common Council. adjourned from Thursday night, was heid last night. Present, Prezident Dorrance and Aldermen Abrams, Bowler, Funnell, Hirst, Mance, Reed, Sinsabaugh.

COMPLAINT OF UNIUST ASSE SMENT Mrs. Sarah C. Lee addressed Coun-

cil. See said she had been assessed \$12 for the Prince street improvement, which she had teen informed was filling, work which according to the charter should be paid for by the city. Also \$18.65 for a sidewalk on Cottage street, to replace one laid by the vikinge in 1881. In 1884 some people were not eatisfied with the walk and she was ordered to relay the city indebted to her for the cost. In Sept. '89, she was ordered to gravel the walk, but did not. In 1890 she was ordered to curb and fig of Prince street and did, Then the city tore up the walk on Cottage street and wanted her husband to pay \$10, which so refused to do.

She had been presented with several bills. Incy had been growing begin ed of won the wife out entirely.

The city, under the charter, bad no right to change the grade ci a street and aseess the cost upon the property holders. She asked that the matter be investigated and the charges against her be can eled.

Mesers Mance Reed and Bowler were appointed a special committee to investigate the matter.

THE MARRIMOTOK PAVING COFTRACT THEADED FROM

Mr. A. Smith presented a communication from Mr. Harrington. of dersey City, who had been awarded the first contract for paving East Main street, stating to at he had been put to considerable expense by the serion of Conneil and expected to be compensated.

The President stated that the cortract was not awarded for the reason the Mayor did not approve the action of Council.

Mr. Smith saifi Council had notiand Mr. Harrington that he had been awarded the contract and to be prepared to execute it. Mr. Smith came first and was informed by the Aldermen that the contract was not ready. Go the ninth day Mr. Harrington came and got the same reply.

If the Council had notified Mr. Earrington and returned him his forfest of \$200 be probably would have no claim, but he made his contracts for material and was at cossiderable expense. He first heard from a friend that a new advertisecent bottles are so large that an advance in salary of \$3 a month, ment for bids had been made. His sheck was not retarned to him until he had made an unsuccessful bid for the Wickham avenue work when the two checks were returned together. He had taken coupsel and had a good case He did not want to make trouble, but expected to be reimbursed for his expenses, which Mr. Smith said were probably about \$150 to \$175. He wanted to knew if the while picking coal on the Erie track | Council was ready to meet Mr. Haror if it would be necessary for him to begin an action against the city.

The President stated that the mat ter would be considered by Counci

WANT TO LEASE ROOMS TO THE MITY. Mr. E. T. flanford, in behalf of the Times Building C mpany, offered to rent to the city the second fibor of the building to be erected by the company on King street, the same to be fitted up as desired for the several city departments, furnished with steam heat and a fire proof vault, a lease to be made for five years with privilege of renewal.

The matter was referred to the Mayor, President and City Engineer. TO HEAR GRIEVANCES.

On metion of Mr. Hirst, it was ordered that a hearing in the matter of the re-assessment of North street be given on Feb 6 h

EZWER LESESSMENTS CONFIRMED.

On motion of Mr. Mance the assessmentroll of the Wisner avenue sewer was confirmed

On Mr. Sinsabaugh's motion the assessment roll of the Wickham avenue sewer was confirmed. On motion of Mr. Abrams the as-

seasment roll of the Cottage street sewer was confirmed. A claim of Mr. Van Fleet for \$48.93 damages for the backing up of the sewer on Wickham avenue was re-

ferred to the Law Committee, Mr. Hirst thought the Sewer Committee should properly have the matter in charge, and voted no.

THE GENUNG STREET CR'SSING On motion of Mr. Reed the Mayor. President and City Attorney were ap Erie officials to see if they could not

be induced to put the Genung street Mr. Hirst did not believe in crowdonly Sarsaparilla admitted at the ing the company. We already had the premise of a new depot. He also said the Harding street crossing was

ployes were compelled to wait or crawl over or under the cars every day. The Plesident shut off any further remarks from Mr. Hirst by bringing down the gavel with a banc. Mr. Hirst being a lone Democrat his advice in city affairs is of little con-

sequence to the majority, though most o? his associates might sit at his feet and learn wisdom. The matter of repairs to Eagles' atalla was referred to the Fire Com-

COST OF HAZIRISON, SMITH AND BROAD

STREET SEWERS. The cost of constructing the Har rison street sewer was \$362 95 and the assessors were directed to assess the amount of property benefitted, the area of same to be from the center line of Wickham avenue through Harrison street a distance of

about 460 feet. The cost of the Smith street sewer was declared to be \$456.98, and the area to be assessed from the center of Wiskham avenue and through Smith street a distance of about 380 feet.

The cost of the Broad street sewer was declared to be \$504.57 and the area to be assessed from the center line of Broad street, opposite Rowan ber's, which she did, and considers street, through Broad street to De-Witt, a distance of about 529 feet.

Mr. Abrams, just as the counci was about to adjourn, etated that a lady who did not desire her name used had complained to him of the existence of a disorderly house at the corner of West Main and Union streets. The matter was referred to the police committee.

ZILLS AUDITEE. Toe feelowing bills were audited: Police......\$274 25 Chas. B. Smith, Balary..... 75 00F. A. E. Pronk, Reg., Vt., St. F. T. Smith, keys.
R. G. Sliter, inspecting pave-34 00 meat..... W. A. Mapes, coal..... 23 37 Middletown Wagon Company, harness

F. F. A Behme, winding clock J. H. Burch..... Naprha Co..... C. R. Mapes, repairing road... C. H. Brink, plumbing...... Millspaugh Hardware Co..... Orane & Swayze, supplies...... Wood & Baldwin, sand......

Stroc & DeWitt

-A MASONIC VISIT

Geshen Lodge Visited by D. D. S. M. Combs and Other Middletown Masous

District Deputy Grand Master W. M. Combs paid an official visit to Gosben Lodge, F. and A. M. last evening. He was accompanied by Past Master Julius Eorn, L. D. Fo quet,G. J. Giering and J. D. Ketcham. A number of visiting brethren were present among them W. M., A. B. Lindsey, of Brooklyn, who delivered an historical address. A supper was

served after the communication. Mr. Combs will visit Livingston Manor Lodge, Saturday night.

4 Little Port Jervis Cirl Saves Lwo ricyumies from Dranging.

Willie McCabill and Nina Kelly, aged un years, were saved from journeys on his wheel during the drewning, yesterday, by Lillie Mc- summer, on several occasions rid-Mickle about the same age. They were sketing on the Delaware, when the ice gave way under the two former, who grasped each other, and would have been carried under the mind of L-die McMickle, who seized the pockets of the agent, W. J. Enghold of them and kept them from lish. Mr Eoglish says that while Bietance.

Pumping Water Into Newburgh's Hains The water in Newburgh's reservoir has fallen below the top of the supply

pipe, and the pumps have been started in order to meet the city's needs. At this time, last year, the water in the reservoir was nineteen feer above the pipe.

Appointed Naval Cader,

Congressman Odeli has appointed Fred C. Miller, of Newburgh, to the vacancy from this district in the Naval Academy at Annapolis. The Newburgh Press describes the new cadet as the son of the man who plays the placed in Moscow's orchestra.

Perished With Cold.

Peter Nolan was not in reality drowned in the Delaware River, Sunday morning, as was stated yesterday, for he was rescued while still breathing, but died before reaching the hospital. His death was undoubtedly due to exposure and cold. He was fifty years old and leaves a wife and seven children.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.- Latest U.S. Gov't Report

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN COSHEN.

Bowling Actes-Cottage Prayer Meettogs-Meeting of the Village Trustees -Personal Notes

From Our Regular Correspondent

win the tournament.

-Goodsle's bowlers defeated Capt. Drake's team in both games, last night. The result of these games assures Goodale's success and he will

-To-morrow evening the Goshen S. and A. A.'s team will contest for championship honors with the 24th Separate Co. bowlers at the armory. Goshen expects to send her full compliment of "rooters."

-The cottage prayer meetings, this evening, will be held as follows: Oa Greenwich street, at the residence of Mr. C. Millspaugh; on Main street, at Mrs. Remer's; on Prospect avenue, Mrs. Neafie's.

-The Board of Trustees held a regular meeting, last evening. The only business transacted was the

auditing of a number of bille. -Mr. C. W. Teed is spending the week among relatives at Elmira. 一百. A. Horton i, confined to his

home on Murray avenue by a severe

FOUR MONTHS IN JAIL

cold.

An Incorrigible Young Man Sent Down by Recorder Bradner.

Jesse Coleman a y ung man who has given his family no end of trouble for several years past owing to his love for drink, was sent down to Goshen jail for four months by Re-

corder Bradner, this morning.
He was arrested at two thirty o clock this morning, at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Alfred Allee. where he had broken a window in an attempt to force an entrance into the

Coleman was sent to the State Hospital in this city several years ago, after an unsuccessiul attempt at suicide. He spent a year in the institution, being released last June. He has spent thirty days in Goshen jall

Bleycle Record of 5,282 filles.

Mr. Clarence L. Hulse made a b. eyele record during the year 1895, that is doubtless equalled by few if any persons in the county. His cy elometer anows that he rode dulin the year 5 282 miles. The next highest register of a cyclometer is that of John Duryes, which is 2,460 miles.

Mr. Hulsa made numerous long ing to New York and return.

An Erte Ticket timee Robbed

The Erie deket office in the Undercl.ff station was robbed of \$35, Saturice together but for the presence of day night, and \$15 was taken from sinking, ustil her clas brought as- his back was turned a revolver was thrust through the window and he was ordered to throw up his hands. While he was covered by the revolver two other men entered and robbed

Great Rifle Shooting.

him and the money drawer.

At the Seventh Regiment Armory, New York, Saturday night, in the 'Buli's Eye Standing" match Captein Geo. W. Rand, Co. F, won with nine straight buh's eyes at 200 yards. Corporal T. B. Taylor, in the "Bull's Eye Prone" match, same distunce, made twenty-one bull's eyes before he missed.

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Piremen's Retief and Benefit As ocia-

A meeting of the Firemen's Relief: and Benefit Association was held at Pice lix ecgine house, last night. The committee on by-laws presented its report and the by-laws were adopted. Eleven new members were elected. The organization now has a membership of thirty-five.

Captain of the Camilton Foot But

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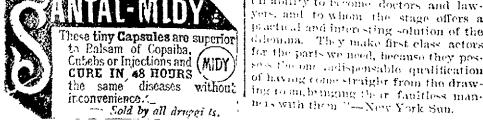
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"Every child is a born actor," he went on, "and to prove that we have only to watch the expression and movements of a little child when it is in a room by itself and is unaware of spectators It will be imitating in pantomime alternately the persons and animals it knows or has seen. Enter the room and ask the little one to do that over for auntie or uncle, or whoever it may be, and immediately there is a change. Self conscioneness has come in with the looker on, and the child is constrained and shy The grace of movement, the bright, animated gesture and inimitable expression are gone. As the child grows older this constraint, this repression, increases, particularly in America, where, from Labyhood, she is taught to disguise her real feelings You must not laugh aloud, it isn't refined; you must walk quietly and sedately and not attract at-

"This is a sample of the lesson of self repression, inculcated line upon line. precept upon precept, day after day, until the real nature becomes walled in within the artificial one. When that girl gets to be 20 or more, she has a yearning for the stage. She feels that she can portray some of the characters which so interest and appeal to her. She enters a dramatic school; but, alas, it is too late. The desire to act is there, and the accurate conception, but the artidefal routine so instilled by precept and practice has become inextricably interwoven with the natural instinct. and it cannot be eradicated. She is in the shackles of self consciousness.

"My greatest find in the last year or two," continued the speaker, "is a young Pennsylvania girl who came to me with her mother last season 'My daughter has been educated in Paris. and she is most anxious to go on the stage. She feels that she can do something in that line and will not be contented until she tries,' said the mother I looked at the girl, who sat quietly by, with rather an indifferent expression on her face, and was not prepared to find in her anything very promising. She was about 17, very dark and quite good looking. I asked her to recite something She stood up and began to repeat a poem about an Indian ourse. The nurse was fester mother to a king's son, had nursed him at her broast along with her own child of the same age. In a revolution the mob came to kill the king's son, and the nurse, in loyalty to her sovereign, substituted her baby for the heir to the throne Before the girl was half through with the story I had to stop her. The tears were running down her cheeks, and I realized that my own eyes were moist. That girl is going to make a name for herself. She seemed to acquire by intuition what other pupils would table months to learn. Lattribute her extraordinary power of expression to her having been brought up in Paris, free and unconstrained in an atmosphere where every one is enthusia-tic and is not ashamed of it, and where emotion is expressed naturally.

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"It has been my experience that the Prench, Italian, Spanish, Mexican, Hehiew-my of the southern reco--- possess this nameless abundonm of this personal magnetism, as if were, in excess of may other nation," continued the speal is "And where it is found in an connect degree in Americans they gener Ply have some strain of foreign blood. Appericans make the surpassed contraster. actors—that is, when we wish to per-Washington Red Shingles Land to Large of darking, any of the socate miners, westerners, New Eng. various pha is of typical American life, we find ample material right at hand II, however, we wish to depict a drawing room so we with setting complete and to the law, we must call on a forcan country for the actors. It is a lam cutable fact that, so far as the stage is concerned, we taust go to England for our gentleman. For some reason the hism class in America, the men of breeding and culture, when choosing a profession, do not select the stage. It may be that the calling of an actor is not looked uron, on this sule of the water, as sum tently dignified; but, be that as it may, of all the applicants for instrume hences in this country only a tow of them are recruited from the cinks of recognized gentlemen's sons. In England it is different. There are numbers of younger sons there who have no money, who are debarred from going into trade on account of the famaly escatcheon, who have not the mentil ability to become doctors and lawyers, and to whom the stage offers a practical and interesting solution of the delouma. They make first class actors for the parts we need, because they pos-

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ners with them "-New York Sun.

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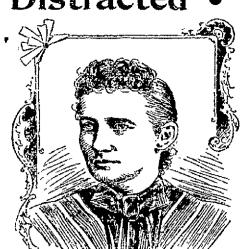
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From all accounts they do not include the return of the United States consul general, Mr. Raymon O. Williams, among the setbacks. Mr. Williams is a Brooklyn man, aged about 65, but still good for many years of usefulness, and has passed nearly half of his busy life on the soil of Cuba. While yet but a young man he went thither to engage in mercantile pursuits, and in 1871, when he was appointed vice consul, was among the most preminent of all Americans in business on the island. For 13 years he served as vice consul, and then,

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in 1884, President Arthur producted him to the higher post which technisheld ever since. During the 11 years that have since clapsed he has performed the important daties of his position to the general satisfaction of the American contingent, but in various cocasions his course has not been alrogether pleasing to the Spanish authorities. In 1889 the Madrid government became very much incensed against him, on the assumption that he had furnished "alarming news" to the press. His most recent difficulty with the Spaniards arose from his making a demand that two American citizens, arrested on the charge of having had communication with the rebeli, should be tried by the civil and not by the military courts.

placed his resignation in the hands of the Federal authorities at Washington. but it was accepted on neither, although he was temporarily recalled when the last trimble came up, and made a long and complete explanation of his course and the shorten with regard to American cit zer, un Cuba to President Cleveland. It may be that his resignation would have been accepted this time, but | for the protests sent to the president by large numbers of business men and capitalists, who declared Mr. Williams' presence in Cuba at this time to be essential to the maintenance of the dignity of the American government there and the safety of the life and property of Americans doing business on the island. At all events, the consul general has been sent back to his post and has been vested with powers that are practically discretionary and not often bestowed upon any government representativo of lesser rank than a minister or an embassader.

It is bard to speak with intelligence of the general feeling in the United States regarding the Cuban cause, but there is no doubt that much money has been set t by American sympathizers to aid the uprising nor that more men have gone from the United States to fight for Cuban independence than is generally known.

Much of the money sent there has been raised in New York, where, through the presence in that city of many wealthy Cuban families and hundreds of Cuban eigar makers, there is an intense if not very widely diffused pro-Cuban sentiment. At the beginning of the present year it was estimated that the Caban colony there numbered about 1,500, less than et any time during the last two or three decades. But what the thousand and 'a half Cubans of New York lack in numbers they make up in devotion, and there is hardly one of them who has a contributed of his savings to help on the fight against further Spanish domination. One man deplaced the other day that he had been saving up for ten years with this end in view and odded that his compatriots are successful. had all been taling the same course for quite as long a period. According to this man, even the women and girls in the second of the se ularly from their small earnings to the treasury of the pauriots.

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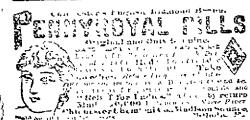
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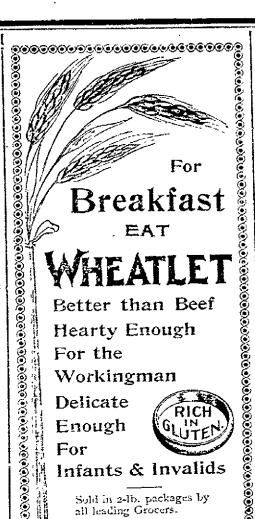
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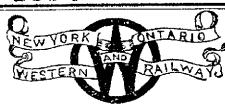
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Editors Argus:-In your last issue the Middletown public was favored with some carses from the pen of a versatile physician, who, through the medium of a scmewhat halting Muse, gives expression to those Anperhaps unnaturally, are just now so popular in certain quarters. I have no desire to detract from the originality of the "poem" referred to, but the metre, and the jingle and the whole idea of our local Laureate's effusion are so strikingly similar to the rabid verses which have been so extensively copied in the American papers from London Truth, entitled "Where is the Flag of England," it seems natural to trace them to that .inspiring source.

However, I am not writing for the hostess, Mrs. Corwin. purpose of detracting from the practical merit of the composition in question but rather, with your permission, to show the failier and injustice of the idea to which our talented fellow townsman has given his interpretation.

That idea is simply this, that England has in the upbuilding of her vast empire used religion as a mask; which the applicant lives. that she has played the part of a gigantic hypocrite, a canting, psalm singing knave, coveting, defrauding and annexing every acre of ground | Linden Terrace. on God's broad earth, and then with folded hands and uplifted eyes bas chanted pious "Te Deums" to Almighty God over the bloody rules of her imperial lust.

I think that just about expresses | 335 North etreet; Mrs. [L. V. Sineatin common every day prese the idea that pervades our "poem." Now if this impeachment of "robbing, enslaving and ravishing" be time. England is as horrible a monster among the nations of the earth as the unspeakable Ostomac, whose rank offenses cry aloud to Esavec, and the sooner a coalities of more humane and Christian peoples is formed for her extinction the better.

Fortunately, however, for the world and for those who do not with to lose all faith in humanity, such an impeachment is very far removed from all truth, -excepting of course | home north of the village and on the London periodical which calls itself by that much abused name.

In the history or career of every great nation there must of necessity, human nature being what it is, occur many great crimes, for those who hold the heim of government even in christian countries are not elways christian mer, and the history of America's mother country, we are quite ready to admit, has been Bullied by not a few grievous stains.

I remember, alas! the injustice of England's past administration of Treland. Id not forget her iniqui tous epium policy toward China. I see the Valley of Giencoe covered with the corpses of hospitable tribesmen foully murdered in the reign of William of Orange. I hear the anrieks of men and women roasting alive in that burning church at Drogheda, under the pitiless vengeance of Puritan Cromwell,

Over such unhappy memories as these, and many more, I blush, but sir, who shall dare to say that these dark passages are typical of England's work in the world, as characteristic of her policy in the comity of nations.

They are but foolepots which stand but in more prominent relief for the very reason that they are in such contrast to the wise, humane and moral principles upon which her imperial rule is based and it is enough for me to say this one thing in c nolusion, that the vast improvement in the social and political conditions of the peoples towards whom her civilizing genius has made its way, is character as a nation, and proves sixty members. that Angle Saxon dominion is not a thing of bl ou and rapice, is a blesslug and not a bane,

I am one of those who believe, as Montgomery says in his little history. that no other people on the face of the facili bas contributed so much to the progress of humanity as the English speaking race, and that nowhere are botter minarrations of the law of propress to be found than in the history of England and of the colonies which England has planted, and because I further believe that the true interests of America and England are in reality identical, I consider that man misguided, to say the least, whose evil itea for writing leads him to traduce the great mother, out of whose loine, this, if you will, greater laughter, America, sas sprung.

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A FAREWELL SOCIAL.

By the Y. P. S. C. E. to Mr. Frank H.

A farewell social was given, last evening, at the residence of Mrs. Daniel Corwin, No. 9 Grove street, by the Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Presbyterian Uburch to Mr. Frank H. Waggoner, who is about to leave for Brooklyn to attend law school.

The house was brilliantly :lluminated with lamps and candles, the glophobiet sentiments which, not letters Y. P. S. C. E. appearing on the shades. There were about forty persons

present, among them being Rav. Charles Corwin, of Cuddebackville. The evening was spent in singing,

playing games and other social amusements and the principal guest was given such a good time that the affair must be one of his pleasant memories after he has turned his back upon Middletowa.

When the party broke up three hearty cheers were given for the

THE MISSIONARY UNION-

Emergency Committees to Whom Ap-

pitcations for Belp Should Be Made.

All applications for belp from the Missionary Union should be made to a member of the Emergency Committee having in charge the ward in The following are the comm ttees:

First Ward-Mrs. C. E. O'Neil, 210 No-th street; Mrs. Fred Crippen, 49

Second Ward-Mrs. Horton Vail, 111 West Main street; Mrs. Adelia Near, 27 Keapp avanue; Mrs. Charles Thaver, 49 Lake avenue Tnird Ward-Mrs. DeWitt Wood,

baugh, 150 Monhagen avenue; Mrs. M. E. Ackerman, 47 Mulberry street. Fourth Ward-Mrs. E. McNiff, 190 East Main s'reet; Mrs. John J. Silk, 29 East avenue; Mrs. John Russell, 10 William street.

BLOOMINGBURGH.

surprise Parties-Broke Her Arm-Farmers' Institute-Personal Notes.

—Txo surprise parties were given here last week-Thursday evening. to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Green in their Friday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Smith Evans, at their home in the village. Both evenings were spent in dancing and playing games and everybody had a most enjoyable

-Mrs. Frank Martin, while working in her home recently, slipped and fel, breaking her right arm just below the shoulder.

-A farmers' institute will be held Jan 24 and 25, 1896, at Schubert Hall, this village. -Miss Beswick, of Brooklyn, and

Mrs. Holmes, of Warwick, are visiting at D. S. Strong's.

-Miss Mary Blake is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ferris, in Jersey City.

-A box social will be held at Dr. Beaker, Friday evening, Jan. 31st, under the auspices of the C. E. soclety. Many new features will be introduced.

MONROE-

Church Sociable - Improvement - The Singing School-Going on a Ramsdell

Correspondence Argus and MERCURY.

-The sociable for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church, of this village, will be held at the home of Mr. Jerome B. Tannery, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 22nd.

-Mr. J. D. Bouton is putting the tia roof on Mr. George R. Reed's new building.

-The singing school of this place a perfect vindication of England's is progressing finely. There are about

-George Seamen has accepted a position with Homer Ramsdell's Transportation Line and will enter on his duties on Feb. 1st.

AMITY-

Death of Mrs. Utter-Teacher Engaged -Plenty of fee Cutters,

Correspondence Angus and Mencuny. -Mrs. Elzibeth Ulter, after a

short iliness of pueumonia, died, last Wednesday morning. Funeral gervices were held at her late residence. Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment in Amity Cemetery.

-Miss Agnes Oraig has been engaged as leacher in the public school known as the Long Swamp district.

-Farmers have no difficulty in finding plenty of help for gathering ice, this year, at \$1 a day.

-Mr. William McGuffey is dangerously ill,

SOUTH CENTREVILLE-

Now England Supper and Entertain. ment.

Correspondence Angus and MERCURY.

-Co Friday evening, Jan. 31st, the ladies of the Presbyterian Church will hold a New England supper in Robbins' Hall Supper will be served at 7:30. After supper has been served an entertainment will be given, consisting of somge, recitations and dialogues. All come and have an enjoyable time.

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UP THE MIDLAND.

Rushmore Creamery Prices-No License but Never Dry-Uniawful Deer Killing -The Spring Brook Acid Factory-Rockiand Town Politics.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY. -The types made me say in my last letter that the patrons of the Rushmore creamery at Norwich were paid 3% cents for their milk. It should have been 31/4 and even this is a half a cent more than any other concern of its kind paid for December milk up this way.

-Pretty soon the good people of Walton will get together and resolvathat the town will go no license and so it will go. And with all their voting that the town go dry there will be more intoxicants sold during the year in Walton than in any other town in Delaware county.

-Of course it will never be known just how many deer are killed each year in the restricted counties of the State, but we may be positive that it is no small number. A large ma jority of people will respect the law and let the deer alone, but-there are a few in all sections who will take in every one that offers itself as a target. Perhaps our game authorities know what they are about. -The Spring Brook acid factory,

which was burned down about two months ago, is being rebui't as speedy as possible and will soon be be finished. When this factory burned down it was feared that it might not be rebuilt again as it stood directly in the path of the financial cyclone that struck the Binghamton banks, a little more than a year ago. It seems to have weathered the storm, however. -Rockland, Sullivan county, is

going to be debatable ground at its coming town meeting and there will be more "pencils carried to the polis" than ever before, and they will be used too. No other town has ever had such an array of bids audited in any one year as this town. The town is slightly Republican, but all parties seem to have vied with each other to swell the bills to an enormous extent. The voters of that town are going to consign a few of both parties to "lanocuous desustude," March 2nd. See if they don't?

All on Account of the Fateful Thirteen From the Newburgh Telegram.

The superstitious look upon the Newburgh Bay Medical Society as an example of what the fateful 13 can accomplish. Not long ago the society was organized with 13 charter members. Of this number Dr. Borst and Dr. Gartzman are dead. The other day Dr. Moith, o Fishkill, was on his way to attend a meeting of the society, but before he reached the ferry he fell and broke his leg.

Improvements on the Monticello and Port Jervis Railroad.

Governor Waller, president of the P. J., M. and N. Y. R. R. Co, made a trip over the road, Saturday. While in Port Jervis he stated that a new depot would be built in that placed with steel rails and other im-

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OTISVILLE.

Good Domiole Littett Has a Rush of Weddings - Congregational Meeting Postponed—The Death of Miss Annies M. Parsons. Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

-Something quite unusual hap-

pened, a few evenings ago, at our quiet sister village, Mount Hope, whereby the very popular and much loved Rev. Luther Littell had a rush of weddings. He had been engaged to officiate as a nearby home, where a wedding had been previously announced. A lew minutes before leaving his home, following a note requesting him to officiate at the parsonage by making "two hearts one," came the couple from one of the most fertile and best cared for farms located at the foot of the Shawangunk Mountains. The two just made happy were soon wending their way homeward, accompanied by one of Orange county's most thrifty farmers, who, of course, in good style acted as groomsman. Later, during the good dominie's absence at wedding number two, another couple came to his home to get "tied." Finding him away they departed, and returned the third time before

RORFine Pictures go to RAZEY's New Studio
No. 5 West Main street, 18dimJau24 finding Mr. Littell home, but by this time all the occupants of the parsonage had retired and were quietly eleeping. Loud knocks soon aroused j the good man and his better half, whose comfort, as so many of us know, have been sacrificed for the comfort and satisfaction of others, and they at once arose and Mr. Littell performed the desired ceremony, when couple number three departed, probably happy (as all married folks should be), with best wishes following them. This is the rioth wedding since Ditober last where the above named pastor has officiated,

-The congregational meeting of the Pre-byterian Church, which was held on the 18th inst for the purpose of calling a pastor, was postponed for one week to Jan, 23 i. Rev. Chav. Beattle. D. D. of Middletown, is again expected to be present.

-The sad news of the death of Miss Annice M. Parsons, of the Middletown public schools, who lived with her parents near this village and Mount Hope a number of years ago, is received with deep regret. All who knew her back to her girlbood days and ever since can but acknowledge the fact that she possessed many noble, cheerful and unseifish qualities, which made her truly a superior christian woman.

Farmers' Institute at Bullville,

A farmers' institute will be held at Bullville, Jan. 27th and 28th. Addres-es will be made by prominent agriculturists and dairymen sent out by the State, and many of the leadvillage and that all iron rails on the ing farmers of the vicinity are exline, about seven miles, will be re- pected to participate in the discussions. A large attendance is antici- RIN's in your tickets. Don't delay or you

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